## **FISCAL NOTE**

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate

Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: February 5, 1996

SUBJECT: **HB 2253 - SB 2401** 

This bill, if enacted, will provide that the \$50 fine for truancy, which a parent or guardian may be assessed if the child is absent for more than five days without adequate excuse, only applies to *any school which receives funding based on Average Daily Membership (A.D.M.)*.

Under present law, the \$50 fine applies to parents or guardians who have a child enrolled in public, private, or parochial school or kindergarten.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be a decrease in local government revenues since it is assumed that the intent of the bill is to make the \$50 penalty provision apply only to the truancy of public school students. However, such decrease in local government revenues is estimated to be not significant.

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director